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Interview Summary	Application No. 09/988,937	Applicant(s) BOHNKE ET AL.	
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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) RAYMOND S. DEAN. (3) ____.

(2) Sameer Gokhale (Reg. No. 62,618). (4) ____.

Date of Interview: 29 July 2009.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: ____.

Claim(s) discussed: Claim 18.

Identification of prior art discussed: Sakoda et al. (US 6,882,618).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner Dean agreed with Mr. Gokhale on the issue of Sakoda not teaching the precalculating of a plurality of combinations x, y, z defining x, y, and z subcarriers for modulation. Examiner Dean indicated that he would conduct another search of issue another office action if deemed necessary.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Raymond S Dean/ Examiner, Art Unit 2618	7/29/2009
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